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Part B for April 1927

SUBJECT

Procedure prescribed for the disposal of papers relating to political questions.

Official Memorandum

With reference to para 6 of G.O.No.903-53/55-26-1 dated 17th September 1926 directing that all Political questions concerning any department of Government should be dealt with by the General Secretary in consultation with the Chief Secretary, the following detailed instructions are issued for the guidance of Secretariats:

1. The Political Section of the General and Revenue Secretariat(which will form part of the Confidential Branch) will ~~receive and~~ register all communications from the Residency received in the Civil Secretariats and distribute them to the Secretaries concerned.

2. Papers of a routine nature may be finally disposed of in the Secretariats concerned.

3. Cases of importance ~~for example relating to~~ as agreements or contracts with any Government ~~and~~ & British India ~~and~~ questions of a controversial nature after noting by the Secretaries concerned, will be forwarded to the General Secretary for submission to the Members of Council and Dewan. The proposed replies in such cases should also be sent for scrutiny to the General Secretary before issue.

4. Cases which pertain to the Political Section only and in which no other Secretariat is directly concerned will be dealt with by the General Secretary and submitted to the Members or Dewan.

5. All cases of special importance or delicacy will be sent by the General Secretary to the Chief Secretary also before submission to Members of Government.

6. Residency communications addressed to the Railway and Electrical P.W.Secretaries will as heretofore be received and registered in their respective offices but their disposal will be regulated by the instructions contained in paragraphs 2 and 3 above.

7. The General Secretary with the help of ~~&&&&~~ an Assistant Secretary will arrange to collect, classify and catalogue(with recapitulatory notes)all political records of current ~~and~~ or prospective interests to the State ~~and the~~ General literature bearing on the relations of Indian States to the Government of India shall also be collected

8. Once a fortnight the General Secretary will submit to the Dewan through the Chief Secretary a report showing the progress made in the compilation of political records.

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Received on
14 MAR. 27
Reg. No. 6581

In approval
MM
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Dewan through
Gen Secy

(Mr Marsh)
Rept. for 1874

MM
13/3/27.

Approved by Secretary
The Premier has & he suggests
MM
14/3

Rg
14/3

Subject, as above attached. If you
agree, the paras may be changed before
sent to the Dewan.

Rg
14/3.

Ans for
a Mr
Rg
14/3

+ RMS 16/4

G.R.S. III—3]

CB

Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Draft for approval

Gen Sy / DSG 16/4

for perusal & sig

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Chi Sec with compts RZ 16/4

DSG 16/4

Since the substance of the proposed memo has already been communicated to Secretary on 7/4/27, it may be sufficient if the Pol. Secretary notes & observes paras 7 & 8.

If Gen. Secy agrees, no fresh instructions need issue to Mr Leetts

Gen Secy with compts. RZ 17/4

CB

I agree.

Pol. Sec[y] with draft

Observe the instructions in paras 7 & 8. RZ

Let me know what action is proposed to be taken 18/4

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

Mr D. R. Symon

for kind perusal.

Enclosed herein to Delhi Telegram from Acting Secy

RZ 18/4/27 PP

noted DS 18/4/27

CONFIDENTIAL.

2933-62/C.B. 55-26-15

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM. 27.4.27.

With reference to Paragraph 6 of Government Order No. 903-53/C.B. 55-26-1 dated the 17th September 1926, the following procedure is prescribed for the disposal of papers relating to political questions:--

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(3) The General Secretary will, when he thinks the importance of the subject matter deserves it, submit the file to the Dewan or the Member in Charge as the case may be, through the Chief Secretary to Government.

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(4) The procedure prescribed above will, in paragraphs 2 & 3, ~~as far as possible~~, apply to the Railway and the Public Works Secretariat as also ~~Matters~~ in the Various Secretariat.

(5) The General Secretary will be held responsible for prompt despatch of work in connection with Residency correspondence.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, the 7th April 1927.

No. 2955-62/C. B. 55-26-15

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By Order,
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To—The Secretaries to Government.

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